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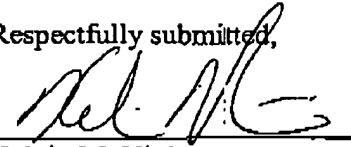
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REPLY TO ACTION OF MAY 3, 2004

In reply to the Office Action of May 3, 2004, the Applicant submits the following remarks.

Claims 38 and 58 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of double-patenting over claim 22 of U.S. Patent No. 6,100,676.

Claims 38 and 43-58 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of double-patenting over claim 2 of U.S. Patent No. 6,268,716.

Claims 38, 43-50 and 55-58 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of double-patenting over claim 14 of U.S. Patent No. 6,590,369.

Claims 39-42 were objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim.

The Applicant submits a terminal disclaimer (enclosed) to overcome the rejections.

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